

**DIRECT TESTIMONY AND EXHIBITS OF**

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**ON BEHALF OF**

**THE SOUTH CAROLINA OFFICE OF REGULATORY STAFF**

**DOCKET NO. 2022-1-E**

1 **Q. PLEASE STATE YOUR NAME, BUSINESS ADDRESS, AND OCCUPATION.**

2 A. My name is Anthony D. Briseno. My business address is 1401 Main Street, Suite  
3 900, Columbia, South Carolina 29201. I am employed by the State of South Carolina as an  
4 Audit Manager for the Office of Regulatory Staff ("ORS").

5 **Q. PLEASE STATE YOUR EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND AND EXPERIENCE.**

6 A. I received my Bachelor of Science in Business Administration in Accounting from  
7 Coastal Carolina University in August 2014. I received my Master of Accountancy Degree  
8 from Coastal Carolina University in August 2015. I also received a Graduate Certificate  
9 for completion of the Fraud Examination Program at Coastal Carolina University in August  
10 2015. I began my employment as an Auditor with ORS in October 2016 and was promoted  
11 to Senior Auditor in August of 2019. In August of 2020 I was promoted to my current  
12 position as Audit Manager. I have participated in various cases involving the regulation of  
13 electric cooperatives, telecommunication companies, electric, natural gas, water and  
14 wastewater utilities. Additionally, I have attended utility regulation programs and received  
15 training from Michigan State University Institute of Public Utilities, American Public  
16 Power Association, and National Regulatory Research Institute.

1 **Q. HAVE YOU PREVIOUSLY TESTIFIED BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE**  
2 **COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA (“COMMISSION”)?**

3 A. Yes. I have previously testified before the Commission on several occasions  
4 including in annual fuel proceedings and general rate cases.

5 **Q. WHAT IS THE MISSION OF THE OFFICE OF REGULATORY STAFF?**

6 A. ORS represents the public interest as defined by the South Carolina General  
7 Assembly in S. C. Code Ann. § 58-4-10 as:

8 [T]he concerns of the using and consuming public with respect to public  
9 utility services, regardless of the class of customer, and preservation of  
10 continued investment in and maintenance of utility facilities so as to provide  
11 reliable and high-quality utility services.

12 **Q. WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF YOUR DIRECT TESTIMONY IN THIS**  
13 **PROCEEDING AND HOW DOES YOUR DIRECT TESTIMONY REPRESENT**  
14 **THE PUBLIC INTEREST?**

15 A. The purpose of my direct testimony is to present the results of ORS’s examination  
16 of the books and records pertaining to Duke Energy Progress, LLC’s (“DEP” or the  
17 “Company”) operations under the Fuel Adjustment Clause (“FAC”). The current fuel  
18 examination covered the period of March 2021 through February 2022 (“Actual Period”).  
19 For Commission consideration, ORS has included the estimated, unaudited four (4) months  
20 from March 2022 through June 2022 (“Estimated Period”). By examining the books and  
21 records of the Company’s operations under the FAC to ensure they comply with applicable  
22 statutes and Commission Orders and verifying that the various FAC related (over)/under-  
23 recovery balances are stated accurately, my direct testimony promotes the public interest.

**Q. WHAT WAS THE PURPOSE OF ORS'S EXAMINATION?**

A. The purpose of ORS's examination was to determine if the Company's accounting practices in computing and applying the monthly FAC complied with S.C. Code Ann. §§ 58-27-865, 58-39-130, 58-39-140, 58-40-20, and prior Commission orders.

**Q. WAS THE REVIEW PERFORMED BY YOU OR UNDER YOUR SUPERVISION?**

A. Yes. The review to which I testify was performed by me or under my supervision.

**Q. WHAT WAS THE SCOPE OF ORS'S EXAMINATION?**

A. ORS examined and verified the monthly calculations and the (over)/under-recovery balances recorded in the Company's books and records for base fuel costs, environmental costs, capacity costs, Distributed Energy Resource Program ("DERP") incremental costs, and DERP avoided costs for the Actual Period. ORS verified these monthly calculations and (over)/under-recovery balances to the Company's monthly fuel reports filed under Docket No. 2006-176-E and the Company's testimonies and exhibits filed in this docket. ORS's examination consisted of the following:

1. Analyzing the Fuel Stock Accounts

ORS's analysis of the fuel stock accounts consisted of verifying receipts to and issuances from the fuel management system to the general ledger, examining monthly fuel charges originating in the fuel stock accounts, and ensuring that only proper charges were entered in the Company's computation of fuel costs for purposes of adjusting the base fuel factor.

2. Sampling Receipts to the Fuel Stock Accounts

ORS's review of receipts to the fuel stock accounts consisted of examining and testing transactions in coal, oil and natural gas that support additions to the accounts during

1 the Actual Period. Each coal and oil transaction sampled was examined and tested for  
2 mathematical accuracy and verified to a commodity received report, corresponding waybill  
3 or truck bill, supplier invoice, base cost report, freight invoice, and transportation cost  
4 report. The sampled coal and oil transactions then were verified to requests for payment  
5 details to verify payments of the correct amounts to the vendors. ORS sampled natural gas  
6 transactions and examined them for mathematical accuracy and verified them to third party  
7 invoices and bank statements to verify payments of the correct amounts to the vendors.

8 3. Verifying Coal, Oil, and Natural Gas Expenses

9 ORS verified the amounts of coal, oil and natural gas consumed for electric  
10 generation for each month of the Actual Period by reviewing inventory control reports,  
11 general ledger accounts, and calculation worksheets. Biogas was included in the cost of  
12 natural gas expenses reviewed by ORS. ORS verified biogas calculations for each month  
13 in the Actual Period by using the kilowatt-hours ("kWh") attributable to biogas at the  
14 generation facility multiplied by the Commission-approved Avoided Fuel-Only rate from  
15 Docket No. 1995-1192-E.

16 4. Verifying Charges to Nuclear Fuel Expenses

17 ORS verified the amounts of nuclear fuel expenses to the Company's books and  
18 records for the Actual Period. In addition, these amounts were verified to the Company's  
19 nuclear fuel burned amortization schedules. ORS recalculated the Company's nuclear fuel  
20 burned amortization schedules to verify mathematical accuracy.

21 5. Verifying Purchased Power and Power Sales

22 ORS verified the Company's purchased and interchange power fuel cost,  
23 megawatt-hour ("MWh") purchases, and MWh sales for the Actual Period to the

1 Company's intersystem purchase and sales transaction reports and monthly invoices, on a  
2 sample basis. The purchases sampled also were verified to proof of payment information  
3 to ensure payments to vendors were accurate and agreed to the invoices received by the  
4 Company. This verification included reviewing intercompany power transactions related  
5 to the Joint Dispatch Agreement ("JDA") between the Company and Duke Energy  
6 Carolinas, LLC ("DEC").

7 ORS recomputed the Company's sales and purchases for the Actual Period. The  
8 purchased and interchange power amounts for the Actual Period and the resultant  
9 (over)/under-recovery monthly deferred fuel amounts for the Actual Period reflect  
10 calculations that conform to S.C. Code Ann. § 58-27-865. Subsection (A)(2)(b) of this  
11 statute states that the total delivered cost of economy purchases, including, but not limited  
12 to, transmission charges, are included in purchased power costs if those purchases are "less  
13 than the purchasing utility's avoided variable costs for the generation of an equivalent  
14 quantity of electric power." As such, ORS verified that the economic purchases were  
15 recorded at, or less than, the Company's applicable avoided costs.

16 ORS sampled and tested power sales transactions for mathematical accuracy and  
17 verified these transactions to the invoices issued by the Company to third parties. ORS  
18 sampled various hours of the power sales transactions to verify the accuracy of the  
19 generation cost being assigned to the sale within the sampled hour by the Company.

20 ORS reviewed the Solar Integrations Fees and Miscellaneous Fees collected by the  
21 Company that were applied to the FAC as an offsetting cost during the Actual Period.

1                   6. Verifying kWh Sales

2                   ORS verified total system kWh sales to the Company's billed revenue reports and  
3                   fuel and environmental rate revenue reports for the Actual Period. ORS recalculated and  
4                   verified the Net Energy Metering ("NEM") solar kWh generation reported on the NEM  
5                   cost reports. Total system kWh sales, S.C. retail kWh sales, and NEM solar kWh generation  
6                   were used in the computations of the (over)/under-recovery of base fuel costs,  
7                   environmental costs, capacity costs, and DERP avoided costs.

8                   7. Recalculating the Fuel Adjustment Factors and Verifying the (Over)/Under-  
9                   Recovery of Base Fuel Costs

10                  ORS recalculated the fuel costs for the Actual Period utilizing information obtained  
11                  from the Company's books and records and verified the recalculated costs to the  
12                  Company's monthly fuel reports. In recalculating the monthly fuel costs, ORS divided  
13                  adjusted system fuel costs by adjusted system kWh sales to arrive at fuel costs per kWh  
14                  sold. The fuel costs per kWh sold were then multiplied by the adjusted S.C. retail kWh  
15                  sales to determine the S.C. retail base fuel costs. The S.C. retail base fuel costs billed to  
16                  S.C. retail customers were compared to the S.C. retail base fuel costs to compute the  
17                  deferred fuel entry – (over)/under-recovery for each month of the Actual Period. The  
18                  (over)/under-recovery for each month in the Actual Period was verified to the Company's  
19                  monthly fuel reports. ORS also recalculated the Company's calculations for the Estimated  
20                  Period to ensure accuracy.

21                  8. Recalculating the Environmental Costs and Verifying the (Over)/Under-  
22                  Recovery of Environmental Costs

23                  South Carolina Code Ann. § 58-27-865(A)(1) provides:

24                  'fuel cost' also shall include the following variable environmental costs: (a)  
25                  the cost of ammonia, lime, limestone, urea, dibasic acid and catalysts

1 consumed in reducing or treating emissions, and (b) the cost of emission  
2 allowances, as used, including allowance for SO<sub>2</sub>, NO<sub>x</sub>, mercury, and  
3 particulates.

4 S.C. Code Ann. § 58-27-865(A)(1) also states that, “[a]ll variable environmental costs  
5 included in fuel costs shall be recovered from each class of customers as a separate  
6 environmental component of the overall fuel factor.”

7 ORS verified the reagent expenses, emission allowances expensed, emission  
8 allowances sold, and environmental costs recovered through power sales for the Actual  
9 Period. The primary reagent expenses reviewed for the purpose of this examination include  
10 lime/limestone, magnesium hydroxide, calcium carbonate, ammonia, urea, and  
11 MerControl 8034 Plus. ORS sampled and verified that reagents purchased during the  
12 Actual Period agreed to base cost reports, transportation cost reports, and requests for  
13 payment details. These reagents are used to reduce the emissions produced by the  
14 Company’s power generation facilities during the production of electricity.

15 The emission allowances reviewed for the purposes of this examination include  
16 Sulfur Dioxide (“SO<sub>2</sub>”) and Nitrogen Oxide (“NO<sub>x</sub>”) emission allowances. ORS  
17 recalculated the SO<sub>2</sub> and NO<sub>x</sub> emission allowances expensed for the Actual Period as  
18 included in the Company’s books and records. Emission allowances sold during the Actual  
19 Period were agreed to the transaction agreements, and ORS ensured any gains/net proceeds  
20 were used to offset the environmental costs of this component per S.C. Code Ann. § 58-  
21 27-865. Subsection (A)(1) of this statute requires that “fuel costs must be reduced by the  
22 net proceeds of any sales of emission allowances by the utility.”

23 ORS verified the calculations of environmental costs recovered through off-system  
24 sales that reduced environmental costs for each month of the Actual Period, to arrive at the

1 net environmental costs. ORS then used the S.C. retail kWh sales divided by the total  
2 system kWh sales excluding off-system sales to determine the S.C. allocation factor to  
3 apply to the net environmental costs. The environmental costs billed to S.C. retail  
4 customers were compared to the S.C. portion of environmental costs to compute the  
5 (over)/under-recovery for each month of the Actual Period. The (over)/under-recovery for  
6 each month in the Actual Period was verified to the Company's monthly fuel reports. ORS  
7 also recalculated the Company's calculations for the Estimated Period to ensure accuracy.

8 9. Recalculating the Capacity Costs and Verifying the (Over)/Under-Recovery of  
9 Capacity Costs

10 Pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. § 58-27-865(A)(1):

11 if capacity costs are permitted to be recovered through the fuel factor, such  
12 costs shall be allocated and recovered from customers under a separate  
13 capacity component of the overall fuel factor based on the same method that  
14 is used by the utility to allocate and recover variable environmental costs.

15 ORS verified the purchased power capacity costs to the Company's monthly fuel  
16 reports for the Public Utility Regulatory Policy Act of 1978 ("PURPA") purchases. This  
17 verification included the review of schedules detailing the breakdown of capacity costs and  
18 energy costs for power purchases in the Actual Period. Natural gas capacity costs were  
19 verified to the Company's books and records for each month of the Actual Period.

20 ORS then used the S.C. retail kWh sales divided by the total system kWh sales  
21 excluding off-system sales to determine the S.C. allocation factor to apply to the capacity  
22 costs. The capacity costs billed to S.C. retail customers were compared to the S.C. portion  
23 of capacity expenses to compute the (over)/under-recovery for each month of the Actual  
24 Period. The (over)/under-recovery for each month in the Actual Period was verified to the



Company's monthly fuel reports. ORS also recalculated the Company's calculations for the Estimated Period to ensure accuracy.

10. Recalculating the DERP Incremental Costs and Verifying the (Over)/Under-Recovery of DERP Incremental Costs

South Carolina Code Ann. § 58-27-865(A)(1) states:

the incremental and avoided costs of distributed energy resource programs and net metering as authorized and approved under Chapters 39 and 40, Title 58 shall be allocated and recovered from customers under a separate distributed energy component of the overall fuel factor that shall be allocated and recovered based on the same method that is used by the utility to allocate and recover variable environmental costs.

ORS verified the DERP incremental costs to the Company's monthly fuel reports for the Actual Period. This included verifying that general ledger transactions were supported by invoices. ORS recalculated the NEM cost reports provided by the Company for each month of the Actual Period. Additionally, ORS recalculated the NEM solar generation kWh sales and the avoided fuel benefits of S.C. NEM. ORS recalculated the solar rebate amortization schedule and the associated carrying costs. ORS also examined the shared solar program and purchase power agreement ("PPA") expenses that occurred within the Actual Period. The DERP incremental costs billed to S.C. retail customers were compared to the DERP incremental costs to compute the (over)/under-recovery for each month of the Actual Period. The (over)/under-recovery for each month in the Actual Period was verified to the Company's monthly fuel reports. ORS also recalculated the Company's calculations for the Estimated Period to ensure accuracy.

11. Recalculating the DERP Avoided Costs and Verifying the (Over)/Under-Recovery of DERP Avoided Costs

ORS verified the DERP avoided costs for PPAs to the Company's monthly fuel reports for PURPA Purchases. The verification of PPA and shared solar program costs

1 included the review of schedules detailing the calculations for capacity costs and energy  
2 costs for the purchases made within the Actual Period. ORS used the S.C. retail kWh sales  
3 divided by the total system kWh sales excluding off-system sales to determine the S.C.  
4 allocation factor to apply to the DERP avoided costs. The DERP avoided costs billed to  
5 S.C. retail customers were compared to the S.C. portion of DERP avoided costs to compute  
6 the (over)/under-recovery for each month of the Actual Period. The (over)/under-recovery  
7 for each month in the Actual Period was verified to the Company's monthly fuel reports.  
8 ORS also recalculated the Company's calculations for the Estimated Period to ensure  
9 accuracy.

10 12. Company Adjustments Made in the Actual and Estimated Periods

11 ORS reviewed and recalculated any adjustments made by the Company for the  
12 Actual Period. ORS recalculated any adjustments made by the Company for the Estimated  
13 Period and will fully examine those adjustments when they are included in the Actual  
14 Period as part of the Company's next FAC review.

15 **Q. DID YOU PREPARE OR CAUSE TO BE PREPARED ANY EXHIBITS IN**  
16 **CONNECTION WITH YOUR DIRECT TESTIMONY**

17 **A.** Yes. ORS prepared the following exhibits based upon ORS's review of the  
18 Company's books and records:

19 **EXHIBIT ADB-1: TOTAL FUEL RECEIVED AND WEIGHTED**  
20 **AVERAGE FUEL COST.** This exhibit details the total cost of coal, oil, and natural gas  
21 (includes biogas) delivered to the Company's generation stations for each month during  
22 the Actual Period. ORS has also computed the weighted average cost of each type of fuel:

coal (\$82.65 per ton), oil (\$2.46 per gallon), and natural gas (\$5.55 per thousand cubic feet (“MCF”)).

**EXHIBIT ADB-2: COST OF FUEL BURNED FOR ELECTRIC GENERATION.** This exhibit details the per book cost of fuel burned for electric generation for each month of the Actual Period. The cost of burned fuel is broken into four (4) types: coal, oil, natural gas (includes biogas) and nuclear. The burned cost of each type of fuel is shown separately along with its percentage of total burned costs. These costs are used in the computations of base fuel costs.

**EXHIBIT ADB-3: COST OF FUEL.** This exhibit details ORS’s computation of the total fuel cost applicable to the base fuel recovery calculation for the Actual Period, separated into four (4) components along with each component’s percentage of total fuel costs. The four (4) components included in this cost are as follows:

1. Cost of Fuel Burned;
2. Fuel Cost of Purchased and Interchange Power;
3. Fuel Cost Recovered from Power Sales; and
4. Miscellaneous Fees Collected.

Cost of Fuel Burned – This amount is the total cost of all coal, oil, natural gas, and nuclear fuel burned, detailed by month for the Actual Period, and used in the base fuel costs component computation. A detailed breakdown of coal, oil, natural gas, and nuclear fuel can be seen in Exhibit ADB-2.

Fuel Cost of Purchased and Interchange Power – This amount is the total fuel cost of MWhs purchased from other electric utilities or power marketers detailed by month for the Actual Period.

1           Fuel Cost Recovered from Power Sales – This amount is the total fuel cost recovery  
2 related to MWhs sold to other electric utilities or power marketers detailed by month for  
3 the Actual Period. These costs lower the cost of fuel for each month of the Actual Period.

4           Miscellaneous Fees Collected – This amount is the total cost of PURPA contract  
5 fees, liquidated damages due to missed commercial operation dates, fees for electronic  
6 banking changes, and fees for contractual changes of control. Additionally, this amount  
7 includes variable fees paid to the Company from solar generating customers detailed by  
8 month for the Actual Period.

9           **EXHIBIT ADB-4: DETAILS OF THE COMPUTATION OF THE**  
10 **(OVER)/UNDER-RECOVERY OF BASE FUEL COSTS.** This exhibit details the  
11 (over)/under-recovery of base fuel cost computations by month for the Actual and  
12 Estimated Periods. This exhibit also shows the computations of the actual and estimated  
13 cumulative (over)/under-recovery balances of base fuel costs and any adjustments for the  
14 Actual Period and Estimated Period.

15           **EXHIBIT ADB-5: TOTAL ENVIRONMENTAL COSTS.** This exhibit details  
16 the total environmental costs for the Actual Period by month for magnesium hydroxide,  
17 calcium carbonate, emission allowances (expensed and sold), ammonia and urea,  
18 lime/limestone, and MerControl 8034 Plus. Additionally, the percentage of total costs is  
19 shown for each environmental component for each month in the Actual Period.

20           **EXHIBIT ADB-6: DETAILS OF THE COMPUTATION OF THE**  
21 **(OVER)/UNDER-RECOVERY OF ENVIRONMENTAL COSTS.** This exhibit details  
22 the (over)/under-recovery of environmental cost computations by month for the Actual and  
23 Estimated Periods for total environmental costs and off-system sales. This exhibit also

shows the computation of the actual and estimated cumulative (over)/under-recovery balances of environmental costs and any adjustments for the Actual Period and Estimated Period.

**EXHIBIT ADB-7: DETAILS OF THE COMPUTATION OF THE (OVER)/UNDER-RECOVERY OF CAPACITY COSTS.** This exhibit details the (over)/under-recovery of PURPA purchased power avoided capacity costs and natural gas capacity costs by month for the Actual and Estimated Periods. Pursuant to Act 236, which became effective June 2014, the avoided capacity component of PURPA purchased power costs and the natural gas capacity costs, which are permitted to be recovered through the fuel factor, are now allocated and recovered as a separate component of the overall fuel factor in the same manner as environmental costs. This exhibit also shows the computation of the actual and estimated cumulative (over)/under-recovery balances of capacity costs and any adjustments for the Actual Period and Estimated Period.

**EXHIBIT ADB-8: DETAILS OF THE COMPUTATION OF THE (OVER)/UNDER-RECOVERY OF DERP INCREMENTAL COSTS.** This exhibit details the (over)/under-recovery of DERP incremental costs by month for the Actual and Estimated Periods. This exhibit also shows the computation of the actual and estimated cumulative (over)/under-recovery balances of DERP incremental costs and any adjustments for the Actual Period and Estimated Period.

**EXHIBIT ADB-9: DETAILS OF THE COMPUTATION OF THE (OVER)/UNDER-RECOVERY OF DERP AVOIDED COSTS.** This exhibit details the (over)/under-recovery of DERP avoided costs computations by month for the Actual and Estimated Periods. This exhibit also shows the computations of the actual and estimated

1 cumulative (over)/under-recovery balances of DERP avoided costs and any adjustments  
2 for the Actual Period and Estimated Period.

3 **Q. PLEASE EXPLAIN ORS'S COMPUTATION OF THE CUMULATIVE**  
4 **(OVER)/UNDER-RECOVERY OF BASE FUEL COSTS IN EXHIBIT ADB-4.**

5 A. Exhibit ADB-4 provides details of ORS's calculation of the actual cumulative  
6 under-recovery balance through February 2022 of \$36,766,807, and the estimated  
7 cumulative under-recovery balance through June 2022 of \$40,666,187. Company witness  
8 Harrington's testimony (Harrington Exhibit 2, pages 1 through 3) in this docket reports a  
9 cumulative base fuel cost under-recovery balance through February 2022 of \$36,766,806  
10 and the estimated cumulative under-recovery balance through June 2022 of \$40,666,187.  
11 The variance between ORS and the Company's cumulative ending balances for February  
12 2022 is due to rounding.

13 **Q. DID THE COMPANY MAKE ANY ADJUSTMENTS DURING EITHER THE**  
14 **ACTUAL OR ESTIMATED PERIODS FOR THE BASE FUEL COSTS?**

15 A. Yes. Company witness Harrington explains the base fuel cost adjustments in her  
16 direct testimony on pages 9-10. These adjustments are reflected in Exhibit ADB-4 as  
17 adjustments (A). ORS has reviewed and accepts the adjustments made by the Company for  
18 base fuel costs.

19 **Q. PLEASE EXPLAIN ORS'S COMPUTATION OF THE CUMULATIVE**  
20 **(OVER)/UNDER-RECOVERY OF ENVIRONMENTAL COSTS IN EXHIBIT**  
21 **ADB-6.**

22 A. Exhibit ADB-6 provides details of ORS's calculation of the actual cumulative  
23 under-recovery balance through February 2022 of \$415,184 and the estimated cumulative

under-recovery balance through June 2022 of \$437,897. Company witness Harrington's testimony (Harrington Exhibit 4, pages 1 through 6) in this docket reports a cumulative environmental cost under-recovery balance through February 2022 of \$415,182 and the estimated cumulative under-recovery balance through June 2022 of \$437,894. The variances between ORS and the Company's cumulative ending balances for February 2022 and June 2022 are due to rounding.

**Q. DID THE COMPANY MAKE ANY ADJUSTMENTS DURING EITHER THE ACTUAL OR ESTIMATED PERIODS FOR THE ENVIRONMENTAL COSTS?**

A. Yes. Company witness Harrington explains the environmental cost adjustment in her direct testimony on page 11. The adjustment is reflected in Exhibit ADB-6 as adjustment (B). ORS has reviewed and accepts the adjustment made by the Company for environmental costs.

**Q. PLEASE EXPLAIN ORS'S COMPUTATION OF THE CUMULATIVE (OVER)/UNDER-RECOVERY OF CAPACITY COSTS IN EXHIBIT ADB-7.**

A. Exhibit ADB-7 provides details of ORS's calculation of the actual cumulative capacity cost under-recovery balance through February 2022 of \$6,053,780 and the estimated cumulative under-recovery balance through June 2022 of \$5,044,695. Company witness Harrington's testimony (Harrington Exhibit 7, pages 1 through 6) in this docket reports a cumulative under-recovery balance through February 2022 of \$6,053,783 and the estimated cumulative under-recovery balance through June 2022 of \$5,044,698. The variances between ORS and the Company's cumulative ending balances for February 2022 and June 2022 are due to rounding.

1 **Q. DID THE COMPANY MAKE ANY ADJUSTMENTS DURING EITHER THE**  
2 **ACTUAL OR ESTIMATED PERIODS FOR THE CAPACITY COSTS?**

3 A. Yes. Company witness Harrington explains the capacity cost adjustment in her  
4 direct testimony on page 13. The adjustment is reflected in Exhibit ADB-7 as adjustment  
5 (C). ORS has reviewed and accepts the adjustment made by the Company for  
6 environmental costs.

7 **Q. PLEASE EXPLAIN ORS'S COMPUTATION OF THE CUMULATIVE**  
8 **(OVER)/UNDER-RECOVERY OF DERP INCREMENTAL COSTS IN EXHIBIT**  
9 **ADB-8.**

10 A. Exhibit ADB-8 provides details of ORS's calculation of the actual cumulative  
11 DERP incremental cost under-recovery balance through February 2022 of \$422,464 and  
12 the estimated cumulative under-recovery balance through June 2022 of \$439,473.  
13 Company witness Harrington's testimony (Harrington Exhibit 9, pages 1 through 2) in this  
14 docket reports a cumulative under-recovery balance through February 2022 of \$422,461  
15 and the estimated cumulative under-recovery balance through June 2022 of \$439,473. The  
16 variance between ORS and the Company's cumulative ending balances for February 2022  
17 is due to rounding.

18 **Q. DID THE COMPANY MAKE ANY ADJUSTMENTS DURING EITHER THE**  
19 **ACTUAL OR ESTIMATED PERIODS FOR THE DERP INCREMENTAL**  
20 **COSTS?**

21 A. Yes. Company witness Harrington explained an adjustment for DERP incremental  
22 costs in her direct testimony on page 16. This adjustment is reflected in Exhibit ADB-8 as



adjustment (D). ORS has reviewed and accepts the adjustment made by the Company for  
DERP incremental costs.

**Q. PLEASE EXPLAIN ORS'S COMPUTATION OF THE CUMULATIVE  
(OVER)/UNDER-RECOVERY OF DERP AVOIDED COSTS IN EXHIBIT ADB-9.**

A. Exhibit ADB-9 provides details of ORS's calculation of the actual cumulative  
DERP avoided cost over-recovery balance through February 2022 of \$59,164 and the  
estimated cumulative over-recovery balance through June 2022 of \$53,867. Company  
witness Harrington's testimony (Harrington Exhibit 13, pages 1 through 6) in this docket  
reports a cumulative over-recovery balance through February 2022 of \$59,165 and the  
estimated cumulative over-recovery balance through June 2022 of \$53,868. The variances  
between ORS and the Company's cumulative ending balances for February 2022 and June  
2022 are due to rounding.

**Q. DID THE COMPANY MAKE ANY ADJUSTMENTS DURING EITHER THE  
ACTUAL OR ESTIMATED PERIODS FOR THE DERP AVOIDED COSTS?**

A. Yes. Company witness Harrington explained an adjustment for DERP avoided  
costs in her direct testimony on page 19. This adjustment is reflected in Exhibit ADB-9 as  
adjustment (E). ORS has reviewed and accepts the adjustment made by the Company for  
DERP avoided costs.

**Q. WHAT IS THE RESULT OF ORS'S EXAMINATION?**

A. Based on ORS's examination of the Company's books and records, and the  
Company's operations under the fuel cost recovery mechanism, it is ORS's opinion that,  
subject to the Company's Adjustments, the Company's accounting practices are in

compliance with S.C. Code Ann. §§ 58-27-865, 58-39-130, 58-39-140, 58-40-20, and prior Commission orders.

Based on ORS's examination, ORS agrees with the following cumulative (over)/under-recovery balances as calculated in Company witness Harrington's Exhibits in this docket:

- February 2022 base fuel cost under-recovery balance of \$36,766,806;
- February 2022 environmental cost component under-recovery of \$415,182;
- February 2022 capacity cost component under-recovery balance of \$6,053,783;
- February 2022 DERP incremental under-recovery balance of \$422,461;
- February 2022 DERP avoided cost over-recovery balance of \$59,165;
- June 2022 estimated base fuel cost under-recovery balance of \$40,666,187;
- June 2022 estimated environmental cost component under-recovery balance of \$437,894;
- June 2022 estimated capacity cost component under-recovery balance of \$5,044,698;
- June 2022 estimated DERP incremental cost under-recovery balance of \$439,473; and,
- June 2022 estimated DERP avoided cost over-recovery balance of \$53,868.

**Q. WILL YOU UPDATE YOUR DIRECT TESTIMONY BASED ON INFORMATION THAT BECOMES AVAILABLE?**

A. Yes. ORS fully reserves the right to revise its recommendations via supplemental testimony should new information not previously provided by the Company, or other sources, becomes available.

**Q. DOES THIS CONCLUDE YOUR DIRECT TESTIMONY?**

A. Yes, it does.

Exhibit ADB-1

Office of Regulatory Staff  
Total Fuel Received and Weighted Average Fuel Cost  
Duke Energy Progress, LLC  
For Year Ending February 2022  
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<u>Month</u>	<u>Coal</u>		<u>Oil</u>		<u>Natural Gas</u>		<u>Total Received Cost</u>
	<u>Tons</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>Gal</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>MCF</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$</u>
Mar-21	270,768	17,594,737	709,733	1,693,154	11,310,504	48,878,841	68,166,732
Apr-21	196,082	22,716,908	119,817	230,842	9,500,844	39,896,674	62,844,424
May-21	98,095	6,931,508	366,399	690,542	10,067,584	42,432,525	50,054,575
Jun-21	147,937	9,882,662	510,547	1,036,374	13,935,191	56,279,208	67,198,244
Jul-21	194,252	15,587,104	356,828	825,374	16,405,761	70,550,111	86,962,589
Aug-21	242,530	19,934,083	148,372	320,930	16,300,125	74,338,714	94,593,727
Sep-21	255,896	21,195,966	200,638	453,969	12,617,897	55,153,023	76,802,958
Oct-21	208,524	18,194,378	119,144	299,363	12,027,261	63,320,214	81,813,955
Nov-21	284,621	23,623,400	1,869,001	4,784,116	14,455,745	95,271,790	123,679,306
Dec-21	256,884	22,780,126	209,843	523,793	14,678,715	104,434,246	127,738,165
Jan-22	219,475	18,574,095	1,974,770	5,311,597	17,375,816	148,406,781	172,292,473
Feb-22	252,644	20,160,005	205,679	535,317	15,610,502	112,079,578	132,774,900
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,627,708</b>	<b>\$ 217,174,972</b>	<b>6,790,771</b>	<b>\$ 16,705,371</b>	<b>164,285,945</b>	<b>\$ 911,041,705</b>	<b>\$ 1,144,922,048</b>
<b>Weighted Average Cost</b>	<b>\$ 82.65</b>		<b>\$ 2.46</b>		<b>\$ 5.55</b>		

Exhibit ADB-2

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Cost of Fuel Burned for Electric Generation  
Duke Energy Progress, LLC  
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Month	Coal		Oil		Natural Gas		Nuclear		Total Burned Cost
Mar-21	\$ 11,337,777	18.82%	\$ 575,721	0.96%	\$ 35,816,623	59.48%	\$ 12,487,630	20.74%	\$ 60,217,751
Apr-21	\$ 3,886,020	8.84%	\$ 156,496	0.36%	\$ 26,659,680	60.65%	\$ 13,252,642	30.15%	\$ 43,954,838
May-21	\$ 21,176,873	33.30%	\$ 984,656	1.55%	\$ 29,299,115	46.07%	\$ 12,131,722	19.08%	\$ 63,592,366
Jun-21	\$ 34,211,182	36.61%	\$ 1,041,545	1.11%	\$ 43,236,342	46.28%	\$ 14,951,104	16.00%	\$ 93,440,173
Jul-21	\$ 37,914,879	33.49%	\$ 831,815	0.73%	\$ 58,412,019	51.59%	\$ 16,066,386	14.19%	\$ 113,225,099
Aug-21	\$ 35,950,969	30.59%	\$ 3,397,548	2.89%	\$ 62,148,000	52.88%	\$ 16,027,295	13.64%	\$ 117,523,812
Sep-21	\$ 14,249,659	19.34%	\$ 765,768	1.04%	\$ 43,152,014	58.58%	\$ 15,497,718	21.04%	\$ 73,665,159
Oct-21	\$ 6,520,029	8.59%	\$ 3,605,722	4.75%	\$ 51,186,239	67.42%	\$ 14,608,188	19.24%	\$ 75,920,178
Nov-21	\$ 2,141,312	2.09%	\$ 1,612,159	1.57%	\$ 83,443,906	81.41%	\$ 15,302,253	14.93%	\$ 102,499,630
Dec-21	\$ 5,998,335	5.24%	\$ 528,623	0.46%	\$ 92,015,782	80.46%	\$ 15,823,340	13.84%	\$ 114,366,080
Jan-22	\$ 35,839,214	18.60%	\$ 6,264,981	3.25%	\$ 135,089,807	70.09%	\$ 15,532,488	8.06%	\$ 192,726,490
Feb-22	\$ 17,769,210	13.49%	\$ 570,028	0.43%	\$ 99,793,288	75.76%	\$ 13,585,255	10.32%	\$ 131,717,781
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$226,995,459</b>	<b>19.19%</b>	<b>\$ 20,335,062</b>	<b>1.72%</b>	<b>\$ 760,252,815</b>	<b>64.27%</b>	<b>\$175,266,021</b>	<b>14.82%</b>	<b>\$ 1,182,849,357</b>

Exhibit ADB-3

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Cost of Fuel  
Duke Energy Progress, LLC  
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Month	Cost of Fuel Burned		Fuel Cost of Purchased and Interchange Power		Fuel Cost Recovered from Power Sales		Miscellaneous Fees Collected		Total Fuel Costs	
Mar-21	\$	60,217,751	73.00%	\$	28,730,840	34.83%	\$	(6,456,944) -7.83%	\$ (10) 0.00%	\$ 82,491,637
Apr-21	\$	43,954,838	57.60%	\$	38,754,579	50.78%	\$	(6,385,733) -8.37%	\$ (10,035) -0.01%	\$ 76,313,649
May-21	\$	63,592,366	59.96%	\$	48,510,502	45.74%	\$	(6,052,742) -5.71%	\$ 23 0.00%	\$ 106,050,149
Jun-21	\$	93,440,173	84.63%	\$	35,515,729	32.17%	\$	(18,546,792) -16.80%	\$ (1,841) 0.00%	\$ 110,407,269
Jul-21	\$	113,225,099	85.21%	\$	44,259,020	33.31%	\$	(24,603,608) -18.52%	\$ (50) 0.00%	\$ 132,880,461
Aug-21	\$	117,523,812	80.47%	\$	49,377,136	33.81%	\$	(20,850,409) -14.28%	\$ 35 0.00%	\$ 146,050,574
Sep-21	\$	73,665,159	78.45%	\$	39,340,855	41.89%	\$	(19,101,077) -20.34%	\$ (36) 0.00%	\$ 93,904,901
Oct-21	\$	75,920,178	83.80%	\$	41,568,228	45.88%	\$	(26,899,480) -29.69%	\$ 6,048 0.01%	\$ 90,594,974
Nov-21	\$	102,499,630	89.50%	\$	35,346,504	30.86%	\$	(23,292,111) -20.34%	\$ (32,124) -0.03%	\$ 114,521,899
Dec-21	\$	114,366,080	91.95%	\$	33,707,003	27.10%	\$	(23,675,967) -19.04%	\$ (20,568) -0.02%	\$ 124,376,548
Jan-22	\$	192,726,490	89.72%	\$	52,216,312	24.31%	\$	(30,126,101) -14.02%	\$ (62) 0.00%	\$ 214,816,639
Feb-22	\$	131,717,781	103.26%	\$	32,821,417	25.73%	\$	(36,974,229) -28.98%	\$ (303) 0.00%	\$ 127,564,666
Total	\$	1,182,849,357	83.30%	\$	480,148,125	33.81%	\$	(242,965,193) -17.11%	\$ (58,923) 0.00%	\$ 1,419,973,366

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	Actual							
	March 2021	April 2021	May 2021	June 2021	July 2021	August 2021	September 2021	October 2021
Total Fuel Costs	\$ 82,491,637	\$ 76,313,649	\$ 106,050,149	\$ 110,407,269	\$ 132,880,461	\$ 146,050,574	\$ 93,904,901	\$ 90,594,974
Add: Avoided Fuel Benefit of SC NEM	\$ 58,297	\$ 58,547	\$ 60,529	\$ 64,507	\$ 63,800	\$ 65,127	\$ 66,494	\$ 68,077
Adjusted System Fuel Costs	\$ 82,549,934	\$ 76,372,196	\$ 106,110,678	\$ 110,471,776	\$ 132,944,261	\$ 146,115,701	\$ 93,971,395	\$ 90,663,051
Total System kWh Sales	4,799,386,806	4,360,547,537	4,282,097,186	5,026,764,210	5,996,563,815	6,124,876,145	5,647,527,373	4,572,964,372
Add: NEM Solar Generation kWh	2,576,658	2,587,832	2,675,401	2,851,214	2,824,934	2,889,187	2,949,843	3,020,045
Adjusted System kWh Sales	4,801,963,464	4,363,135,369	4,284,772,587	5,029,615,424	5,999,388,749	6,127,765,332	5,650,477,216	4,575,984,417
Fuel Costs per kWh Sales	\$ 0.017191	\$ 0.017504	\$ 0.024765	\$ 0.021964	\$ 0.022160	\$ 0.023845	\$ 0.016631	\$ 0.019813
S.C. Retail kWh Sales	495,854,642	461,837,497	425,754,794	497,529,476	554,232,318	621,597,614	531,935,758	469,037,784
Add: NEM Solar Generation kWh	2,576,658	2,587,832	2,675,401	2,851,214	2,824,934	2,889,187	2,949,843	3,020,045
Adjusted S.C. Retail kWh Sales	498,431,300	464,425,329	428,430,195	500,380,690	557,057,252	624,486,801	534,885,601	472,057,829
S.C. Base Fuel Costs	\$ 8,568,468	\$ 8,129,287	\$ 10,609,902	\$ 10,990,491	\$ 12,344,185	\$ 14,890,800	\$ 8,895,522	\$ 9,352,786
Less: Avoided Fuel Benefit of S.C. NEM	\$ (58,297)	\$ (58,547)	\$ (60,529)	\$ (64,507)	\$ (63,800)	\$ (65,127)	\$ (66,494)	\$ (68,077)
Adjusted S.C. Base Fuel Costs	\$ 8,510,171	\$ 8,070,740	\$ 10,549,373	\$ 10,925,984	\$ 12,280,385	\$ 14,825,673	\$ 8,829,028	\$ 9,284,709
S.C. Retail Fuel Costs Collected	\$ 9,358,899	\$ 8,715,487	\$ 8,033,894	\$ 9,388,541	\$ 10,428,673	\$ 11,648,134	\$ 9,967,428	\$ 8,788,583
Less: Fuel Benefits in DERP NEM Incentive	\$ 3,975	\$ 6,175	\$ 5,476	\$ 6,272	\$ 2,386	\$ 2,529	\$ (1,553)	\$ (1,646)
Adjusted S.C. Retail Costs Collected	\$ 9,362,874	\$ 8,721,662	\$ 8,039,370	\$ 9,394,813	\$ 10,431,059	\$ 11,650,663	\$ 9,965,875	\$ 8,786,937
Current Month (Over)/Under Recovery Amount	\$ (852,703)	\$ (650,922)	\$ 2,510,003	\$ 1,531,171	\$ 1,849,326	\$ 3,175,010	\$ (1,136,847)	\$ 497,772
Cumulative (Over)/Under-Recovery-Prior Month Amount	\$ 10,892,003	\$ 10,684,199	\$ 10,033,277	\$ 12,543,280	\$ 14,049,422	\$ 15,898,748	\$ 19,073,758	\$ 17,936,911
Company Accounting Adjustments (A)	\$ 644,899	\$ -	\$ -	\$ (25,029)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
ORS Accounting Adjustments	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Cumulative (Over)/Under-Recovery	\$ 10,684,199	\$ 10,033,277	\$ 12,543,280	\$ 14,049,422	\$ 15,898,748	\$ 19,073,758	\$ 17,936,911	\$ 18,434,683

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	Actual				Estimated			
	November 2021	December 2021	January 2022	February 2022	March 2022	April 2022	May 2022	June 2022
Total Fuel Costs	\$ 114,521,899	\$ 124,376,548	\$ 214,816,639	\$ 127,564,666	\$ 89,298,973	\$ 87,135,207	\$ 99,098,881	\$ 121,035,419
Add: Avoided Fuel Benefit of SC NEM	\$ 65,102	\$ 65,163	\$ 65,163	\$ 65,163	\$ 64,066	\$ 64,046	\$ 64,026	\$ 64,006
Adjusted System Fuel Costs	\$ 114,587,001	\$ 124,441,711	\$ 214,881,802	\$ 127,629,829	\$ 89,363,039	\$ 87,199,253	\$ 99,162,907	\$ 121,099,425
Total System kWh Sales	3,404,937,874	4,523,690,821	5,647,761,932	6,054,697,632	4,866,232,092	4,507,732,092	4,440,343,373	5,234,481,364
Add: NEM Solar Generation kWh	2,888,050	2,890,724	2,890,724	2,890,724	2,842,041	2,841,133	2,840,254	2,839,346
Adjusted System kWh Sales	3,407,825,924	4,526,581,545	5,650,652,656	6,057,588,356	4,869,074,133	4,510,573,225	4,443,183,627	5,237,320,710
Fuel Costs per kWh Sales	\$ 0.033625	\$ 0.027491	\$ 0.038028	\$ 0.021069	\$ 0.018353	\$ 0.019332	\$ 0.022318	\$ 0.023122
S.C. Retail kWh Sales	268,622,711	411,243,624	471,119,341	665,160,529	494,578,926	480,916,724	453,767,614	504,837,574
Add: NEM Solar Generation kWh	2,888,050	2,890,724	2,890,724	2,890,724	2,842,041	2,841,133	2,840,254	2,839,346
Adjusted S.C. Retail kWh Sales	271,510,761	414,134,348	474,010,065	668,051,253	497,420,967	483,757,857	456,607,868	507,676,920
S.C. Base Fuel Costs	\$ 9,129,458	\$ 11,385,101	\$ 18,025,553	\$ 14,075,448	\$ 9,129,261	\$ 9,352,098	\$ 10,190,568	\$ 11,738,709
Less: Avoided Fuel Benefit of S.C. NEM	\$ (65,102)	\$ (65,163)	\$ (65,163)	\$ (65,163)	\$ (64,066)	\$ (64,046)	\$ (64,026)	\$ (64,006)
Adjusted S.C. Base Fuel Costs	\$ 9,064,356	\$ 11,319,938	\$ 17,960,390	\$ 14,010,285	\$ 9,065,195	\$ 9,288,052	\$ 10,126,542	\$ 11,674,703
S.C. Retail Fuel Costs Collected	\$ 5,033,834	\$ 7,707,827	\$ 8,829,556	\$ 12,466,410	\$ 9,268,409	\$ 9,012,379	\$ 8,503,605	\$ 9,460,656
Less: Fuel Benefits in DERP NEM Incentive	\$ (2,081)	\$ (2,076)	\$ (2,076)	\$ (2,077)	\$ 2,518	\$ 2,516	\$ 2,515	\$ 2,514
Adjusted S.C. Retail Costs Collected	\$ 5,031,753	\$ 7,705,751	\$ 8,827,480	\$ 12,464,333	\$ 9,270,927	\$ 9,014,895	\$ 8,506,120	\$ 9,463,170
Current Month (Over)/Under Recovery Amount	\$ 4,032,603	\$ 3,614,187	\$ 9,132,910	\$ 1,545,952	\$ (205,732)	\$ 273,157	\$ 1,620,422	\$ 2,211,533
Cumulative (Over)/Under-Recovery-Prior Month Amount	\$ 18,434,683	\$ 22,467,286	\$ 26,081,473	\$ 35,214,383	\$ 36,766,807	\$ 36,561,075	\$ 36,834,232	\$ 38,454,654
Company Accounting Adjustments (A)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 6,472	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
ORS Accounting Adjustments	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Cumulative (Over)/Under-Recovery	\$ 22,467,286	\$ 26,081,473	\$ 35,214,383	\$ 36,766,807	\$ 36,561,075	\$ 36,834,232	\$ 38,454,654	\$ 40,666,187

	February 2022	June 2022
Cumulative (Over)/Under-Recovery of the Base Fuel Costs (Exhibit ADB-4)	\$ 36,766,807	\$ 40,666,187
Cumulative (Over)/Under-Recovery of Environmental Costs (Exhibit ADB-6)	\$ 415,184	\$ 437,897
Cumulative (Over)/Under-Recovery of Capacity Costs (Exhibit ADB-7)	\$ 6,053,780	\$ 5,044,695
Cumulative (Over)/Under-Recovery of DERP Incremental Costs (Exhibit ADB-8)	\$ 422,464	\$ 439,473
Cumulative (Over)/Under-Recovery of DERP Avoided Costs (Exhibit ADB-9)	\$ (59,164)	\$ (53,867)
Net Cumulative (Over)/Under-Recovery Balance	\$ 43,599,071	\$ 46,534,385

Exhibit ADB-5

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Total Environmental Costs  
Duke Energy Progress, LLC  
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Month	Magnesium Hydroxide		Calcium Carbonate		Emission Allowances		Ammonia and Urea		Lime/Limestone		MerControl 8034 Plus		Total Environmental Costs
Mar-21	\$ 118,757	20.06%	\$ 20,328	3.43%	\$ 2,380	0.40%	\$ 95,223	16.08%	\$ 355,394	60.03%	\$ -	0.00%	\$ 592,082
Apr-21	\$ 37,292	16.31%	\$ 4,272	1.87%	\$ 322	0.14%	\$ 26,517	11.60%	\$ 160,249	70.08%	\$ -	0.00%	\$ 228,652
May-21	\$ 211,103	16.93%	\$ 83,912	6.73%	\$ 133	0.01%	\$ 183,513	14.72%	\$ 768,161	61.61%	\$ -	0.00%	\$ 1,246,822
Jun-21	\$ 375,184	15.48%	\$ 98,105	4.05%	\$ 1,524	0.06%	\$ 347,942	14.36%	\$ 1,600,709	66.05%	\$ -	0.00%	\$ 2,423,464
Jul-21	\$ 427,533	13.68%	\$ 129,484	4.14%	\$ 2,287	0.07%	\$ 453,683	14.52%	\$ 2,042,724	65.38%	\$ 69,146	2.21%	\$ 3,124,857
Aug-21	\$ 488,924	18.65%	\$ 149,519	5.70%	\$ 2,919	0.11%	\$ 433,168	16.53%	\$ 1,546,553	59.01%	\$ -	0.00%	\$ 2,621,083
Sep-21	\$ 97,126	9.37%	\$ 39,653	3.83%	\$ 2,782	0.27%	\$ 289,797	27.96%	\$ 606,984	58.57%	\$ -	0.00%	\$ 1,036,342
Oct-21	\$ 93,667	18.00%	\$ 13,997	2.69%	\$ 2,782	0.53%	\$ 119,590	22.98%	\$ 290,412	55.80%	\$ -	0.00%	\$ 520,448
Nov-21	\$ -	0.00%	\$ 1,959	2.28%	\$ 647	0.75%	\$ 23,627	27.48%	\$ 59,743	69.49%	\$ -	0.00%	\$ 85,976
Dec-21	\$ 58,853	14.19%	\$ 9,801	2.36%	\$ -	0.00%	\$ 110,731	26.70%	\$ 235,399	56.75%	\$ -	0.00%	\$ 414,784
Jan-22	\$ 267,902	11.91%	\$ 71,712	3.19%	\$ 494	0.02%	\$ 552,358	24.57%	\$ 1,355,979	60.31%	\$ -	0.00%	\$ 2,248,445
Feb-22	\$ 101,753	8.94%	\$ 16,189	1.42%	\$ -	0.00%	\$ 395,000	34.71%	\$ 625,343	54.93%	\$ -	0.00%	\$ 1,138,285
<b>Totals</b>	<b>\$ 2,278,094</b>	<b>14.53%</b>	<b>\$ 638,931</b>	<b>4.08%</b>	<b>\$ 16,270</b>	<b>0.10%</b>	<b>\$ 3,031,149</b>	<b>19.33%</b>	<b>\$ 9,647,650</b>	<b>61.52%</b>	<b>\$ 69,146</b>	<b>0.44%</b>	<b>\$ 15,681,240</b>



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	Actual							
	March 2021	April 2021	May 2021	June 2021	July 2021	August 2021	September 2021	October 2021
Total Environmental Costs	\$ 592,082	\$ 228,652	\$ 1,246,822	\$ 2,423,464	\$ 3,124,857	\$ 2,621,083	\$ 1,036,342	\$ 520,448
Off-System Sales	\$ (28,753)	\$ (24,612)	\$ (66,640)	\$ (187,779)	\$ (271,046)	\$ (228,024)	\$ (92,327)	\$ (61,252)
Net Environmental Costs	\$ 563,329	\$ 204,040	\$ 1,180,182	\$ 2,235,685	\$ 2,853,811	\$ 2,393,059	\$ 944,015	\$ 459,196
S.C. Retail kWh Sales	495,854,642	461,837,497	425,754,794	497,529,476	554,232,328	621,597,614	531,935,758	469,037,784
Total System kWh Sales Excluding Off-System Sales	4,799,386,806	4,360,547,537	4,282,097,186	5,026,764,210	5,996,563,815	6,124,876,145	5,647,527,373	4,572,964,372
S.C. Allocation Factor	10.33%	10.59%	9.94%	9.90%	9.24%	10.15%	9.42%	10.26%
S.C. Retail Basis of Total Environmental Costs	\$ 58,201	\$ 21,610	\$ 117,342	\$ 221,279	\$ 263,763	\$ 242,865	\$ 88,916	\$ 47,099
Amounts Billed to Retail Customers	\$ 80,250	\$ 68,502	\$ 64,055	\$ 73,037	\$ 62,279	\$ 41,344	\$ 40,089	\$ 35,276
Current Month (Over)/Under-Recovery	\$ (22,049)	\$ (46,892)	\$ 53,287	\$ 148,242	\$ 201,484	\$ 201,521	\$ 48,827	\$ 11,823
Cumulative (Over)/Under-Recovery-Prior Month	\$ (348,874)	\$ (370,923)	\$ (417,815)	\$ (364,528)	\$ (216,532)	\$ (15,048)	\$ 186,473	\$ 235,300
Company Accounting Adjustments	(B) \$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ (246)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
ORS Accounting Adjustments	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Cumulative (Over)/Under-Recovery	\$ (370,923)	\$ (417,815)	\$ (364,528)	\$ (216,532)	\$ (15,048)	\$ 186,473	\$ 235,300	\$ 247,123

  

	Actual				Estimated			
	November 2021	December 2021	January 2022	February 2022	March 2022	April 2022	May 2022	June 2022
Total Environmental Costs	\$ 85,976	\$ 414,784	\$ 2,248,445	\$ 1,138,285	\$ 445,886	\$ 657,431	\$ 133,566	\$ 557,653
Off-System Sales	\$ (27,004)	\$ (77,855)	\$ (230,308)	\$ (189,245)	\$ (5,531)	\$ (23,159)	\$ (8,003)	\$ (11,902)
Net Environmental Costs	\$ 58,972	\$ 336,929	\$ 2,018,137	\$ 949,040	\$ 440,355	\$ 634,272	\$ 125,563	\$ 545,751
S.C. Retail kWh Sales	268,622,711	411,243,624	471,119,341	665,160,529	494,578,926	480,916,724	453,767,614	504,837,574
Total System kWh Sales Excluding Off-System Sales	3,404,937,874	4,523,690,821	5,647,761,932	6,054,697,632	4,866,232,092	4,507,732,092	4,440,343,373	5,234,481,364
S.C. Allocation Factor	7.89%	9.09%	8.34%	10.99%	10.16%	10.67%	10.22%	9.64%
S.C. Retail Basis of Total Environmental Costs	\$ 4,652	\$ 30,630	\$ 168,347	\$ 104,260	\$ 44,755	\$ 67,669	\$ 12,832	\$ 52,635
Amounts Billed to Retail Customers	\$ 20,919	\$ 32,325	\$ 36,965	\$ 49,619	\$ 38,470	\$ 37,425	\$ 38,004	\$ 41,279
Current Month (Over)/Under-Recovery Amount	\$ (16,267)	\$ (1,695)	\$ 131,382	\$ 54,641	\$ 6,285	\$ 30,244	\$ (25,172)	\$ 11,356
Cumulative (Over)/Under-Recovery-Prior Month	\$ 247,123	\$ 230,856	\$ 229,161	\$ 360,543	\$ 415,184	\$ 421,469	\$ 451,713	\$ 426,541
Company Accounting Adjustments	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
ORS Accounting Adjustments	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Cumulative (Over)/Under-Recovery	\$ 230,856	\$ 229,161	\$ 360,543	\$ 415,184	\$ 421,469	\$ 451,713	\$ 426,541	\$ 437,897

Exhibit ADB-7

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 Details of the Computation of the (Over)/Under-Recovery of Capacity Costs  
 Duke Energy Progress, LLC  
 March 2021 - June 2022  
 Docket No. 2022-1-E

	Actual							
	March 2021	April 2021	May 2021	June 2021	July 2021	August 2021	September 2021	October 2021
PURPA Purchased Power Capacity Costs	\$ 4,073,058	\$ 6,068,568	\$ 7,701,937	\$ 5,684,381	\$ 16,289,389	\$ 10,577,582	\$ 11,311,110	\$ 8,872,563
Natural Gas Capacity Costs	\$ 12,796,278	\$ 12,951,054	\$ 12,873,719	\$ 12,774,596	\$ 12,006,123	\$ 12,132,261	\$ 11,890,780	\$ 11,917,806
Total Costs for the current month	\$ 16,869,336	\$ 19,019,622	\$ 20,575,656	\$ 18,458,977	\$ 28,295,512	\$ 22,709,843	\$ 23,201,890	\$ 20,790,369
S.C. Retail kWh Sales	495,854,642	461,837,497	425,754,794	497,529,476	554,232,328	621,597,614	531,935,758	469,037,784
Total System kWh Sales Excluding Off-System Sales	4,799,386,806	4,360,547,537	4,282,097,186	5,026,764,210	5,996,563,815	6,124,876,145	5,647,527,373	4,572,964,372
S.C. Allocation Factor	10.33%	10.59%	9.94%	9.90%	9.24%	10.15%	9.42%	10.26%
S.C. Share of Capacity Costs	\$ 1,742,876	\$ 2,014,420	\$ 2,045,770	\$ 1,826,998	\$ 2,615,213	\$ 2,304,763	\$ 2,185,365	\$ 2,132,418
Amount Billed to Retail Customers	\$ 1,744,818	\$ 1,472,104	\$ 1,361,646	\$ 1,584,494	\$ 1,911,288	\$ 2,149,579	\$ 2,087,853	\$ 1,745,799
Current Month (Over)/Under-Recovery	\$ (1,942)	\$ 542,316	\$ 684,124	\$ 242,504	\$ 703,925	\$ 155,184	\$ 97,512	\$ 386,619
Cumulative (Over)/Under-Recovery - Prior Month	\$ 5,044,753	\$ 5,042,811	\$ 5,585,127	\$ 6,269,251	\$ 6,506,913	\$ 7,210,838	\$ 7,366,022	\$ 7,463,534
Company Accounting Adjustments (C)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ (4,842)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
ORS Accounting Adjustments	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Cumulative (Over)/Under-Recovery	\$ 5,042,811	\$ 5,585,127	\$ 6,269,251	\$ 6,506,913	\$ 7,210,838	\$ 7,366,022	\$ 7,463,534	\$ 7,850,153

  

	Actual				Estimated			
	November 2021	December 2021	January 2022	February 2022	March 2022	April 2022	May 2022	June 2022
PURPA Purchased Power Capacity Costs	\$ (453,596)	\$ 4,635,284	\$ 3,400,673	\$ 4,970,340	\$ 5,667,190	\$ 6,366,688	\$ 6,763,634	\$ 6,694,813
Natural Gas Capacity Costs	\$ 11,714,264	\$ 12,257,443	\$ 13,238,909	\$ 12,137,351	\$ 11,036,048	\$ 9,628,603	\$ 9,735,956	\$ 10,098,012
Total Costs for the current month	\$ 11,260,668	\$ 16,892,727	\$ 16,639,582	\$ 17,107,691	\$ 16,703,238	\$ 15,995,291	\$ 16,499,590	\$ 16,792,825
S.C. Retail kWh Sales	268,622,711	411,243,624	471,119,341	665,160,529	494,578,926	480,916,724	453,767,614	504,837,574
Total System kWh Sales Excluding Off-System Sales	3,404,937,874	4,523,690,821	5,647,761,932	6,054,697,632	4,866,232,092	4,507,732,092	4,440,343,373	5,234,481,364
S.C. Allocation Factor	7.89%	9.09%	8.34%	10.99%	10.16%	10.67%	10.22%	9.64%
S.C. Share of Capacity Costs	\$ 888,378	\$ 1,535,699	\$ 1,388,024	\$ 1,879,427	\$ 1,697,632	\$ 1,706,491	\$ 1,686,126	\$ 1,619,577
Amount Billed to Retail Customers	\$ 1,159,283	\$ 1,768,395	\$ 1,999,215	\$ 2,561,008	\$ 1,959,978	\$ 1,889,994	\$ 1,817,032	\$ 2,051,907
Current Month (Over)/Under-Recovery	\$ (270,905)	\$ (232,696)	\$ (611,191)	\$ (681,581)	\$ (262,346)	\$ (183,503)	\$ (130,906)	\$ (432,330)
Cumulative (Over)/Under-Recovery - Prior Month	\$ 7,850,153	\$ 7,579,248	\$ 7,346,552	\$ 6,735,361	\$ 6,053,780	\$ 5,791,434	\$ 5,607,931	\$ 5,477,025
Company Accounting Adjustments	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
ORS Accounting Adjustments	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Cumulative (Over)/Under-Recovery	\$ 7,579,248	\$ 7,346,552	\$ 6,735,361	\$ 6,053,780	\$ 5,791,434	\$ 5,607,931	\$ 5,477,025	\$ 5,044,695

Exhibit ADB-8

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Details of the Computation of the (Over)/Under-Recovery of Distributed Energy Resource Program Incremental Costs  
Duke Energy Progress, LLC  
March 2021 - June 2022  
Docket No. 2022-1-E

	Actual							
	March 2021	April 2021	May 2021	June 2021	July 2021	August 2021	September 2021	October 2021
Purchased Power Agreements	\$ 1,708	\$ 2,330	\$ 1,311	\$ 127	\$ 22,125	\$ 9,247	\$ 11,482	\$ 5,970
NEM* Incentive	\$ 166,793	\$ 178,075	\$ 179,328	\$ 194,116	\$ 190,153	\$ 189,743	\$ 190,440	\$ 194,867
Solar Rebate Program	\$ 50,290	\$ 50,415	\$ 51,401	\$ 51,401	\$ 51,412	\$ 51,499	\$ 51,614	\$ 51,614
Carrying Costs on Deferred Amounts	\$ 39,393	\$ 39,208	\$ 39,469	\$ 39,665	\$ 39,400	\$ 39,176	\$ 39,000	\$ 38,783
Shared Solar Program	\$ 776	\$ 2,906	\$ 6,553	\$ 7,344	\$ 14,573	\$ 8,703	\$ 10,263	\$ 8,963
NEM Avoided Capacity	\$ 405	\$ 407	\$ 421	\$ 449	\$ 458	\$ 505	\$ 545	\$ 558
NEM Meter Costs	\$ 10,161	\$ 11,493	\$ 11,308	\$ 11,935	\$ 11,896	\$ 11,935	\$ 12,037	\$ 12,183
General and Administrative Expenses	\$ 19,872	\$ 17,178	\$ 14,505	\$ 13,284	\$ 12,471	\$ 15,905	\$ 17,410	\$ 9,218
Interest on under-collection due to cap	\$ 27	\$ 31	\$ 31	\$ 37	\$ 58	\$ 43	\$ 50	\$ 46
Total Incremental Costs	\$ 289,425	\$ 302,043	\$ 304,327	\$ 318,358	\$ 342,546	\$ 326,756	\$ 332,841	\$ 322,202
Amounts Billed to Retail Customers	\$ 298,256	\$ 286,942	\$ 286,715	\$ 288,035	\$ 285,049	\$ 281,768	\$ 281,895	\$ 282,280
Current Month (Over)/Under Recovery	\$ (8,831)	\$ 15,101	\$ 17,612	\$ 30,323	\$ 57,497	\$ 44,988	\$ 50,946	\$ 39,922
Cumulative (Over)/Under Recovery- Prior Month	\$ 173,595	\$ 164,764	\$ 179,865	\$ 197,477	\$ 227,800	\$ 285,297	\$ 330,285	\$ 381,231
Company Accounting Adjustments	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
ORS Accounting Adjustments	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Cumulative (Over)/Under Recovery	\$ 164,764	\$ 179,865	\$ 197,477	\$ 227,800	\$ 285,297	\$ 330,285	\$ 381,231	\$ 421,153

  

	Actual				Estimated			
	November 2021	December 2021	January 2022	February 2022	March 2022	April 2022	May 2022	June 2022
Purchased Power Agreements	\$ (6,506)	\$ 2,469	\$ 957	\$ 1,246	\$ 3,500	\$ 4,557	\$ 5,130	\$ 4,991
NEM* Incentive	\$ 183,498	\$ 183,715	\$ 183,715	\$ 183,715	\$ 175,071	\$ 175,018	\$ 174,967	\$ 174,915
Solar Rebate Program	\$ 51,565	\$ 51,630	\$ 51,630	\$ 51,334	\$ 51,630	\$ 51,630	\$ 51,630	\$ 51,630
Carrying Costs on Deferred Amounts	\$ 38,821	\$ 38,578	\$ 38,336	\$ 38,165	\$ 37,787	\$ 37,512	\$ 37,238	\$ 36,964
Shared Solar Program	\$ (7,218)	\$ (4,179)	\$ (301)	\$ (184)	\$ 3,215	\$ 4,187	\$ 4,713	\$ 4,585
NEM Avoided Capacity	\$ 533	\$ 534	\$ 516	\$ 516	\$ 474	\$ 474	\$ 474	\$ 474
NEM Meter Costs	\$ 11,570	\$ 11,580	\$ 11,580	\$ 11,580	\$ 12,406	\$ 12,406	\$ 12,406	\$ 12,406
General and Administrative Expenses	\$ 9,452	\$ (9,744)	\$ 4,392	\$ 3,261	\$ 7,401	\$ 7,401	\$ 7,401	\$ 7,401
Interest on under-collection due to cap	\$ 53	\$ 43	\$ 57	\$ 34	\$ 27	\$ 31	\$ 31	\$ 37
Total Incremental Costs	\$ 281,768	\$ 274,626	\$ 290,882	\$ 289,667	\$ 291,511	\$ 293,216	\$ 293,990	\$ 293,403
Amounts Billed to Retail Customers	\$ 252,507	\$ 287,434	\$ 264,283	\$ 291,519	\$ 297,824	\$ 285,263	\$ 285,153	\$ 286,871
Current Month (Over)/Under Recovery	\$ 29,261	\$ (12,808)	\$ 26,599	\$ (1,852)	\$ (6,313)	\$ 7,953	\$ 8,837	\$ 6,532
Cumulative (Over)/Under Recovery- Prior Month	\$ 421,153	\$ 450,414	\$ 437,606	\$ 464,205	\$ 422,464	\$ 416,151	\$ 424,104	\$ 432,941
Company Accounting Adjustments (D)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ (39,889)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
ORS Accounting Adjustments	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Cumulative (Over)/Under Recovery	\$ 450,414	\$ 437,606	\$ 464,205	\$ 422,464	\$ 416,151	\$ 424,104	\$ 432,941	\$ 439,473

\* Net Energy Metering

Exhibit ADB-9

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 Details of the Computation of the (Over)/Under-Recovery of Distributed Energy Resource Program Avoided Costs  
 Duke Energy Progress, LLC  
 March 2021 - June 2022  
 Docket No. 2022-1-E

	Actual							
	March 2021	April 2021	May 2021	June 2021	July 2021	August 2021	September 2021	October 2021
Purchase Power Agreements	\$ 53,839	\$ 120,444	\$ 183,804	\$ 160,616	\$ 88,630	\$ 128,215	\$ 81,254	\$ 78,371
Shared Solar Program	\$ 4,840	\$ 10,143	\$ 11,905	\$ 12,473	\$ 8,612	\$ 11,848	\$ 8,520	\$ 9,363
Total Avoided Costs	\$ 57,879	\$ 130,587	\$ 195,709	\$ 173,089	\$ 97,242	\$ 140,063	\$ 89,774	\$ 87,734
S.C. Retail kWh Sales	495,854,642	461,837,497	425,754,794	497,529,476	554,232,328	621,597,614	531,935,758	469,037,784
Total System kWh Sales Excluding Off-System Sales	4,799,386,806	4,360,547,537	4,292,897,186	5,026,764,210	5,996,563,815	6,124,876,145	5,647,527,373	4,572,964,372
S.C. Allocation Factor	10.33%	10.59%	9.94%	9.90%	9.24%	10.15%	9.42%	10.26%
S.C. Share of Avoided Costs	\$ 5,980	\$ 13,831	\$ 19,459	\$ 17,132	\$ 8,988	\$ 14,215	\$ 8,456	\$ 8,999
Amount Billed to Retail Customers	\$ 17,318	\$ 15,370	\$ 14,870	\$ 15,973	\$ 15,375	\$ 13,906	\$ 13,453	\$ 11,237
Current Month (Over)/Under-Recovery Amount	\$ (11,338)	\$ (1,539)	\$ 4,589	\$ 1,159	\$ (6,387)	\$ 309	\$ (4,997)	\$ (2,238)
Cumulative (Over)/Under-Recovery - Prior Month	\$ (19,309)	\$ (30,647)	\$ (32,186)	\$ (27,597)	\$ (26,467)	\$ (32,854)	\$ (32,545)	\$ (37,542)
Company Accounting Adjustments (E)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ (29)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
ORS Accounting Adjustments	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Cumulative (Over)/Under-Recovery	\$ (30,647)	\$ (32,186)	\$ (27,597)	\$ (26,467)	\$ (32,854)	\$ (32,545)	\$ (37,542)	\$ (39,780)

  

	Actual				Estimated			
	November 2021	December 2021	January 2022	February 2022	March 2022	April 2022	May 2022	June 2022
Purchase Power Agreements	\$ 78,982	\$ 76,054	\$ 49,438	\$ 88,724	\$ 104,824	\$ 119,349	\$ 152,396	\$ 125,754
Shared Solar Program	\$ 5,564	\$ 5,697	\$ 2,628	\$ 6,097	\$ 8,622	\$ 9,817	\$ 10,482	\$ 10,343
Total Avoided Costs	\$ 84,546	\$ 81,751	\$ 52,068	\$ 94,821	\$ 113,446	\$ 129,166	\$ 162,878	\$ 136,097
S.C. Retail kWh Sales	268,622,711	411,243,624	471,119,341	665,160,529	494,578,926	480,916,724	453,767,614	504,937,574
Total System kWh Sales Excluding Off-System Sales	3,404,937,874	4,523,690,821	5,647,761,932	6,054,697,632	4,866,232,892	4,507,732,892	4,440,343,373	5,234,481,364
S.C. Allocation Factor	7.89%	9.09%	8.34%	10.99%	10.16%	10.67%	10.22%	9.64%
S.C. Share of Avoided Costs	\$ 6,670	\$ 7,432	\$ 4,343	\$ 10,417	\$ 11,530	\$ 13,780	\$ 16,645	\$ 13,126
Amount Billed to Retail Customers	\$ 7,485	\$ 11,408	\$ 12,877	\$ 16,476	\$ 12,647	\$ 12,194	\$ 11,711	\$ 13,232
Current Month (Over)/Under-Recovery Amount	\$ (815)	\$ (3,976)	\$ (8,534)	\$ (6,059)	\$ (1,117)	\$ 1,586	\$ 4,934	\$ (106)
Cumulative (Over)/Under-Recovery - Prior Month	\$ (39,780)	\$ (40,595)	\$ (44,571)	\$ (53,105)	\$ (59,164)	\$ (60,281)	\$ (58,695)	\$ (53,761)
Company Accounting Adjustments	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
ORS Accounting Adjustments	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Cumulative (Over)/Under-Recovery	\$ (40,595)	\$ (44,571)	\$ (53,105)	\$ (59,164)	\$ (60,281)	\$ (58,695)	\$ (53,761)	\$ (53,867)